





Joint Information Center – JIC Release No. 1042 May 4, 2022, 5:05 p.m. (ChST)

COVID-19-related Fatalities Adjusted; Correction to JIC Release No. 1008; COVID-19 Test Results: 28 New Cases, Four Hospitalized; Second COVID-19 Booster Doses Available

\*Special Note: Joint Information Center (JIC) releases that report COVID-19 cases will only be issued Monday through Friday to reflect weekday Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS) Surveillance Summaries. Weekend JIC releases may be provided in the event other COVID-19-related information needs to be issued.

### **COVID-19-related Fatalities Adjusted**

The JIC was notified that one (1) COVID-19 positive patient whose death was previously reported as COVID-19-related was subsequently found not to be the result of COVID-19. The DPHSS Office of Epidemiology and Research has reviewed and adjusted the COVID-19-related fatality count to 353.

#### Correction to JIC Release No. 1008

On Friday, April 1, 2022, the JIC reported one COVID-19-related fatality as vaccinated without a booster. The JIC was later informed the patient received a booster shot. The correction follows: The 349th COVID-19-related fatality occurred at St. Dominic's on March 22, 2022. The patient was a 96-year-old female, fully vaccinated with a booster, who had underlying health conditions and tested positive on February 24 and again on March 13.

#### **COVID-19 Test Results: 28 New Cases Reported**

Today, DPHSS reported **28** new cases of COVID-19 from **751** specimens analyzed on May 3, 2022. **14** of the cases reported today are through the Department of Defense. To date, there have been a total of **48,282** officially reported cases, **353** deaths, **238** cases in active isolation, and **47,691** not in active isolation.

#### Four Hospitalized for COVID-19

CENSUS as of 4 p.m.	GMH	GRMC	USNH	TOTAL
COVID-19 Admission	1	2	1	4
Pediatric Admissions	1	-	-	1
ICU	0	0	0	0
Ventilator	0	0	0	0

VACCINATION STATUS	VACCINATED	UNVACCINATED	INELIGIBLE (0-4 years old)
Hospitalized	2	1	1
Total in Population*	136,425	5,182	12,229

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SPECIAL NOTE: Based on today's data, if we were to compare two (2) hypothetical populations of 100,000 people each, vaccinated versus unvaccinated, there would be 2 vaccinated people hospitalized for COVID-19 compared to 19 unvaccinated people hospitalized for COVID-19. The risk of being hospitalized for COVID-19 is about 10 times higher for the unvaccinated as compared to the vaccinated. \*Estimated population is based on DPHSS Immunization Program analysis of 2020 Census data. Updates are expected pending further Census 2020 data breakdown.

#### **Second COVID-19 Booster Doses Available**

Second doses of the COVID-19 booster are available to individuals ages 12 years and older who are moderately or severely immunocompromised. Eligible individuals may choose to receive a second booster dose using an mRNA (Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna) COVID-19 vaccine at least 4 months after the first booster dose.

Additionally, adults between the ages of 18 and 49 who are not moderately or severely immunocompromised and who received Janssen COVID-19 Vaccine as both their primary series dose and booster dose may receive a second booster dose using an mRNA COVID-19 vaccine at least 4 months after the Janssen booster dose. Adults ages 50 years and older could benefit from a second mRNA booster dose as they are at increased risk for severe COVID-19. Adults 50 years and older may choose to receive a second booster dose, if it has been at least 4 months after the first booster dose.

FREE COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINICS (AGES 5 AND OVER) FIRST, SECOND AND BOOSTER SHOTS AVAILABLE - Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna, Johnson & Johnson		
Monday through Saturday 11 a.m 5 p.m.	Agana Shopping Center (2nd Floor) - Register: tinyurl.com/vaxguam Walk-ins are welcome, but appointments will be expedited. Bring appointment confirmation and proof of identity. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing.	
Monday - Thursday 9 a.m 5 p.m. Saturday 9 a.m 12 p.m.	DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center (NRCHC), Dededo Call 671-635-4418/7400 to schedule an appointment. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing. Walk-ins welcome. Curbside vaccination available for people with disabilities. Register at tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme	
Monday through Saturday 9 a.m 12 p.m.	DPHSS Southern Region Community Health Center (SRCHC), Inalåhan Call (671) 828-7604/5/7518 to schedule an appointment. Last appointment is 30 minutes before closing. Walk-ins welcome. Curbside vaccination available for people with disabilities. Register at tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme	

FREE COVID-19 COMMUNITY TESTING Fill out a COVID-19 Testing Patient Assessment Form ahead of time, available at dphss.guam.gov/covid-19-testing.		
Mon., Wed, and Fri.: 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sat.: 8 a.m 11 a.m.	Old Carnival Grounds, Tiyan, Barrigada  COVID-19 testing will be offered by appointment through tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme.  Four adults per vehicle. Bring a photo ID.Travel-related testing will not be offered.  NO SYMPTOMS NEEDED TO TEST FOR COVID-19	
Tuesdays and Thursdays: 9 a.m 12 p.m.	DPHSS Southern Region Community Health Center (SRCHC), Inalåhan By appointment only for individuals with COVID-like symptoms. Four adults per vehicle. Bring a photo ID. Travel-related testing not offered. Call (671) 828-7604/5/7518. Register at tinyurl.com/covidstopswithme	

# Monday through Saturday:

DPHSS Northern Region Community Health Center (NRCHC), Dededo By appointment only for individuals with COVID-like symptoms. Four adults per vehicle. Bring a photo ID. Call (671) 635-7525/6 to schedule an appointment.

9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

## **Guam COVID-19 Vaccination Update**

As of May 3, 2022, a total of **136,425** of Guam's eligible population (residents 5 years and older) is fully vaccinated. This total includes 13,961 residents 12 – 17 years old. 7,951 residents 5 – 11 years old received their first dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech two dose series. 6,339 residents 5-11years old have completed their two-dose series. A total of 58,540 eligible residents have received their first booster shots. A total of 3,397 eligible residents have received their second booster shots.

For the latest information on COVID-19, visit dphss.guam.gov or guamrecovery.com. For inquiries, contact 311 through a local number, or call the Joint Information Center at (671) 478-0208/09/10.